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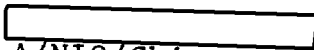
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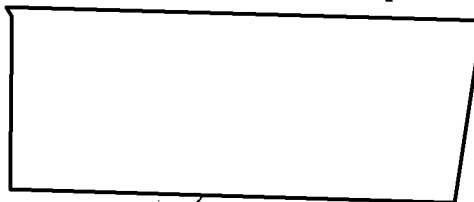
- by holding down urban wages between 1957 and 1977.

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(e) The PRC recently signed a trade agreement with the  
EEC designed to institutionalize their trade rela-  
tionship.

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(d) The Chinese have referred directly -- and indirectly  
through third countries -- to their desire that the  
US not interpose COCOM objections to Chinese purchases  
of advanced technology.



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